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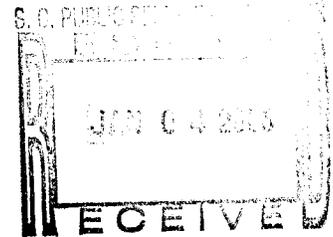
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**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni  
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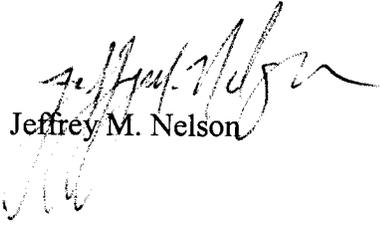
Re: Petition of Nexus Communications, Incorporated for Designation as an  
Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in the State of South Carolina  
**Docket No. 2005-397-C**

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and one (1) copy of the Notice of Appearance of Counsel in the above referenced matter. Please date stamp the extra copy enclosed and return it to me in the envelope provided.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

  
Jeffrey M. Nelson

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Enclosures

cc: Bonnie D. Shealy, Esquire

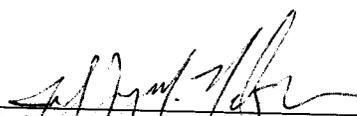
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Carrier in the State of South Carolina )

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE  
OF COUNSEL**

**TO: BONNIE D. SHEALY, ESQUIRE, FOR NEXUS COMMUNICATIONS, INCORPORATED**

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Jeffery M. Nelson gives notice of appearance as counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff in the above-captioned matter. Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-4-10 as enacted by 2004 S.C. Acts 175, the Office of Regulatory Staff is a party of record in all filings, applications, and proceedings before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Any further information or correspondence filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina should also be served on the undersigned as counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff.

  
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**CERTIFICATE OF  
SERVICE**

This is to certify that I, Pamela McMullan, an employee with the Office of Regulatory Staff, have this date served one (1) copy of the **NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL** in the above-referenced matter to the person(s) named below by causing said copy to be deposited in the United States Postal Service, first class postage prepaid and affixed thereto, and addressed as shown below:

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